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Applicants respectfully request that the shortened statutory period for response to the outstanding Office Action dated September 5, 2002, set to expire on October 5, 2002, be extended by 3 months, to expire on January 5, 2003. Please charge our deposit account in the amount of \$465.00 to cover the 3 month extension.

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request for any extensions of time of the appropriate length required upon the filing of any reply during the entire prosecution of this application. A copy of this document is enclosed.

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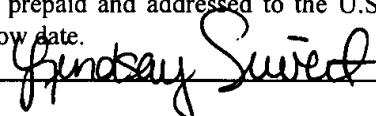


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